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Dear Sir/Madam:

On June 9, 2000 I filed a patent application with the following specifications:

Title: Incision Based Filtration/Separation Pipette Tip  
Inventors: Ashok Shukla, Mukta Shukla, Amita Shukla  
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Application No.: 09/591,009

I just realized that, by mistake, I left out 5 pages of text from the patent application – the pages comprising the Claims and the Abstract. I apologize for the error and request you to kindly include these pages in the above application. The missing pages are attached hereto.

Thank you very much for your help and understanding.

Sincerely,

Ashok Shukla, Ph.D., D.Sc.  
Inventor